

# STATE OF WISCONSIN

# Senate Journal

## Ninety–Eighth Regular Session

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WEDNESDAY, February 21, 2007

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The Chief Clerk makes the following entries under the above date.

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### INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE OF PROPOSALS; REFERENCE OF APPOINTMENTS

Read first time and referred:

#### Senate Bill 55

Relating to: designating and marking a bridge across the Wisconsin River in the city of Tomahawk as Veterans Memorial Bridge.

By Senators Breske, S. Fitzgerald, Lassa, A. Lasee, Miller, Kapanke, Grothman, Sullivan, Lazich and Erpenbach; cosponsored by Representatives Friske, Petrowski, Bies, Ziegelbauer, Meyer, Mursau, Nerison, Gunderson, Jeskewitz, Kerkman, M. Williams, Musser, Albers, Owens, Hahn, Sinicki and Townsend.

To committee on **Transportation, Tourism and Insurance**.

#### Senate Bill 56

Relating to: fees charged to qualified lake associations for certain permits to control aquatic plants.

By Senators Breske, Schultz, Grothman, Lazich, Cowles, Kanavas, Roessler and A. Lasee; cosponsored by Representatives Friske, Gronemus, Meyer, Vos, Mursau, Lothian, Petrowski, Hahn, LeMahieu, Musser, Albers, Kaufert, Nass, F. Lasee, Montgomery, Sinicki, Townsend, Gunderson, M. Williams and Van Roy.

To committee on **Environment and Natural Resources**.

#### Senate Bill 57

Relating to: prohibiting the Investment Board from making certain investments relating to Sudan.

By Senators Harsdorf, Coggs, Erpenbach, Grothman, Lehman, Risser and Sullivan; cosponsored by Representatives Kessler, Davis, Albers, Berceau, Boyle, Cullen, Fields, Grigsby, Hilgenberg, Hintz, Molepske, Nelson, Nygren, Pocan, Pope–Roberts, Seidel, Sheridan, Sinicki, Toles, Turner, A. Williams, Young and Zepnick.

To committee on **Veterans and Military Affairs, Biotechnology and Financial Institutions**.

#### Senate Bill 58

Relating to: changing the individual income tax rates of taxation.

By Senators Kanavas, Darling, Leibham, S. Fitzgerald, Grothman, Kedzie, Roessler and Lazich; cosponsored by Representatives Vos, Zipperer, Roth, Gundrum, Kleefisch, Gunderson, Pridemore, Vukmir, Kerkman, Lothian, Hines,

Nass, Owens, Van Roy, LeMahieu, Townsend, F. Lasee, Albers and Petrowski.

To joint committee on **Finance**.

#### Senate Bill 59

Relating to: product liability of manufacturers, distributors, and sellers.

By Senators Kanavas, Leibham, Darling, A. Lasee, Grothman, Schultz and Roessler; cosponsored by Representatives Kramer, Pridemore, Jeskewitz, A. Ott, Ziegelbauer, Vukmir, Montgomery, Huebsch, Ballweg, Mursau, Townsend, Nygren, F. Lasee, Albers, Bies, Zipperer, LeMahieu, Musser, Roth and Van Roy.

To committee on **Judiciary and Corrections**.

#### Senate Bill 60

Relating to: evidence of lay and expert witnesses.

By Senators Kanavas, Leibham, Schultz and Roessler; cosponsored by Representatives Suder, Pridemore, Jeskewitz, A. Ott, Vukmir, Nass, Ballweg, Mursau, Townsend, Kramer, Albers, LeMahieu, F. Lasee, Musser and Gunderson.

To committee on **Judiciary and Corrections**.

#### Senate Bill 61

Relating to: actions against manufacturers, distributors, sellers, and promoters of products.

By Senators Kanavas, Darling, Leibham, Kedzie, Schultz, Roessler and Lazich; cosponsored by Representatives Honadel, Huebsch, Lothian, LeMahieu, Bies, Gunderson, Roth, Jeskewitz, Pridemore, Zipperer, Ziegelbauer, Vukmir, Nass, J. Ott, Hahn, Mursau, Townsend, Nygren, Kramer, Albers and Musser.

To committee on **Judiciary and Corrections**.

#### Senate Bill 62

Relating to: creating the option to make an anatomical gift as part of a living will and eliminating the designation of a specific physician to perform transplantation.

By Senators Roessler, Olsen and Schultz; cosponsored by Representatives Townsend, Hines, Stone, A. Ott, F. Lasee, Molepske, Berceau, Vos, Ballweg and Albers.

To committee on **Health and Human Services**.

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### REPORT OF COMMITTEES

The committee on **Economic Development, Job Creation, Family Prosperity and Housing** reports and recommends:

#### Assembly Bill 19

Relating to: the filing of certain forms related to tax incremental financing district number 3 in the village of Edgar.

Concurrence.

Ayes, 7 – Senators Lassa, Lehman, Vinehout, Kreitlow, Kanavas, Darling and Roessler.

Noes, 0 – None.

### **Senate Bill 11**

Relating to: time-share licenses.

Passage.

Ayes, 7 – Senators Lassa, Lehman, Vinehout, Kreitlow, Kanavas, Darling and Roessler.

Noes, 0 – None.

### **Senate Bill 24**

Relating to: the taxable years for which a person may claim the film production services and film production company investment credits.

Introduction and adoption of Senate Amendment 1.

Ayes, 7 – Senators Lassa, Lehman, Vinehout, Kreitlow, Kanavas, Darling and Roessler.

Noes, 0 – None.

Passage as amended.

Ayes, 6 – Senators Lassa, Lehman, Kreitlow, Kanavas, Darling and Roessler.

Noes, 1 – Senator Vinehout.

### **Senate Bill 28**

Relating to: exemption from construction standards for certain load-bearing dimension lumber.

Passage.

Ayes, 7 – Senators Lassa, Lehman, Vinehout, Kreitlow, Kanavas, Darling and Roessler.

Noes, 0 – None.

*JULIE LASSA*

Chairperson

The committee on **Health and Human Services** reports and recommends:

### **Senate Bill 9**

Relating to: the administration by a dentist of oral medication to induce conscious sedation.

No recommendation pursuant to s. 227.19 (6)(b), Wisconsin Statutes.

*JON ERPENBACH*

Chairperson

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## **PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS**

### **State of Wisconsin Office of the Senate President**

The Honorable, the Senate:

I am writing to inform you that I have directed the following proposal(s) to be withdrawn from committee and rereferred. I have obtained the consent of the appropriate standing committee chairperson and the chairperson of the committee on Senate Organization.

**Senate Joint Resolution 9** withdrawn from committee on Senate Organization and rereferred to committee on Transportation, Tourism and Insurance.

Sincerely,  
*FRED A. RISSER*  
Senate President

## **REFERRALS AND RECEIPT OF COMMITTEE REPORTS CONCERNING PROPOSED ADMINISTRATIVE RULES**

The committee on **Agriculture and Higher Education** reports and recommends:

### **Senate Clearinghouse Rule 06-078**

Relating to procedures for dismissal of faculty in special cases and to procedures for dismissal of academic staff in special cases.

No action taken.

### **Senate Clearinghouse Rule 06-085**

Relating to seed potato certification and grading.

No action taken.

*KATHLEEN VINEHOUT*

Chairperson

The committee on **Health and Human Services** reports and recommends:

### **Senate Clearinghouse Rule 06-058**

Relating to the scheduling of two schedule I controlled substances, N-benzylpiperazine (BZP) and 2,5 dimethoxy-4-(n)-propylthiophenethylamine(2C-T-7) under chapter 961, Stats., of the Uniform Controlled Substances Act.

No action taken.

### **Senate Clearinghouse Rule 06-059**

Relating to the scheduling of two schedule I controlled substances, alpha-methyltryptamine (AMT) and 5-methoxy-N, N-diisopropyltryptamine (5-MeO-DIPT) under chapter 961, Stats., of the Uniform Controlled Substances Act.

No action taken.

*JON ERPENBACH*

Chairperson

The committee on **Veterans and Military Affairs, Biotechnology and Financial Institutions** reports and recommends:

### **Senate Clearinghouse Rule 06-122**

Relating to UCC search requests.

No action taken.

### **Senate Clearinghouse Rule 06-123**

Relating to non-judicial enforcement and surrender of collateral.

No action taken.

### **Senate Clearinghouse Rule 06-124**

Relating to pawnbrokers.

No action taken.

*JIM SULLIVAN*

Chairperson

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## **MESSAGES FROM THE ASSEMBLY**

By Patrick E. Fuller, chief clerk.

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform you that the Assembly has adopted and asks concurrence in:

### **Assembly Joint Resolution 9**

Concurred in:

### **Senate Joint Resolution 7**

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**MESSAGES FROM THE ASSEMBLY  
CONSIDERED**

**Assembly Joint Resolution 9**

Relating to: celebrating March 1, 2007, as St. David's Day.

By Representatives Owens, Gunderson, Hahn, Mursau, Nerison, Townsend and Petrowski; cosponsored by Senators Coggs, Hansen, Kanavas, Lassa, Olsen, Roessler and Wirch.

Read and referred to committee on **Senate Organization**.

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**LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU  
CORRECTIONS**

**CORRECTIONS IN:**

**2007 SENATE BILL 40**

Prepared by the Legislative Reference Bureau  
(February 20, 2007)

1. Page 1692, line 17: delete "(1)" and substitute "(2)".